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Re:

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with a Receive Clock Signal Phase

Inventors: Our Ref:

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- 1. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) for \$180.00 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Fee;
- 2. Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111;
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- 4. One (1) sheet of Replacement Drawing (Fig. 6C);
- 5. Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
- 6. Form PTO/SB/08/A (1 sheet) listing 4 documents: <u>US1-US4</u>; and
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